

Partridge and Orange

Step by Step Guide

Materials Required

- Thread: Orange pearsall's silk 6a
- Hackle: Brown partridge feather
- Hook: Short shank wet 12-18
I have used a Kamasan B160, Size 12.



Step One:

Fix hook in the vice.

Catch on the thread behind the eye, make three to four turns, cut off waste.



Step Two:

Tie in a partridge feather taken from the back by the tip, ensure the good side/shinny side of the feather is facing forward.



Step Three:

Cut off waste and wrap thread down the hook shank in touching turns to the hook point.



Step Four:

Take the thread back up the hook shank in touching turns, to where you tied in the partridge feather.



Step Five:

Make one to two turns with the partridge feather and secure. Cut away waste.



Step Six:

Whip finish, cut off thread and the fly is complete.

